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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

I chose a competitive provider (Sonic) because of lower prices, better service, less manipulative customer service, and a stronger commitment to net neutrality. Sonic gave me fast fiber access: I used to have slower DSL from AT&T. Sonic gives me good VOIP phone service as well.

I support broadband competition.

I work in a home office and broadband is helpful.

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